

CHURCH NOTICES
AND ACTIVITIES

CHURCH NOTICES
Services, Sunday, April 15th, 1928
Alma Mater — 2 P.M.
Irma — 7:30 P.M.
Subject: "The Evolution of Death"
or "Judas Iscariot who betrayed Him."
Owing to the condition of the roads
the services at Rosberry and Ross
will not be opened as contemplated.
Services a week from next Sunday,
viz, April 22nd will be held in Straw-
berry Plains at 11 A.M.
The Young People's Club will meet
in the Church Monday evening, April
16th. Program by Sunny Brae.
The Trail Rangers will reopen their
camp next Friday evening at the
usual hour and at the usual place of
meeting. Mentor L. A. Schon in
charge. All Trail Rangers be on hand.
What about a baseball team?
Do not forget the moving pictures
under the auspices of The Ladies Aid
and given by the Extension Depart-
ment of Alberta next Friday evening,
April 20th.
The picture "From the Marguerite
to the Cross" time 8:30 p.m., place, United
Church, Irma.
The W. M. S. meets next Thursday
April 19th.

Household Helps.

My Pantry
While working in my pantry this
morning, I thought I'd like to describe
it, and, though it is not perfect, it is
an improvement on many I've seen.
When I came first to the house, there
was no pantry, and the endless opening
of the trap door and running up
and down the cellar steps used to
tire me, so I decided the first improve-
ment would be a pantry. There was
only one possible place for it, so I had
to be content with that.
The door into the pantry is on its
north side at one end; the window
occupies practically the whole width of
the short west side, and is fitted to
open. The main part of the pantry is
the whole length of the south
side. The table part is three feet
high and seven feet long, with a width
of twenty-seven inches, making quite
a large surface. Under this table I
have the drawers and bins all built
in. The four bin holding 100 lbs.,
and the rolled oat bin, holding 60 lbs.,
are on casters, but are closed in when
not in use by two doors on butterfly
hinges. To the east of these are the
drawers, two large ones near the floor,
one for 50 lbs. sugar, and one for salt.
Above these are the smaller drawers
with partitions, these hold corns,
rice, sage, peas, beans, etc., etc., and
one long drawer holds kitchen towels,
clean dusters, string and odds and
ends.
At the back of the table part, I have
a number of bins all labelled—tea,
coffee, lard, syrup, molasses, etc.,—
each keeps the same thing, and there is
no confusion. Fourteen inches above
the table is the cabinet part, and this
goes right up to the ceiling, so I al-
ways keep a stock in the pantry.
There are three doors to this part,
and three shelves, each twelve inches
in width in each division. The highest
shelves are used for the least
used articles, some probably not used
more than once or twice a year, one
shelf for emergency dainties, tinned
soups, chicken, special fruits and veg-
etables. This shelf is always replen-
ished as soon as anything is used,
so that I am always prepared for sur-
prise visitors.
One lower shelf has the material for
school lunches or for the men's lunch-
es, such as jams, marmalade, peanut
butter, bottled meats, etc. In the mid-
dle section, I have cartons of cereals
and dried fruits, currants, peel—
most anything in boxes. These all
have the names on when bought, so
there is no difficulty ascertaining them.
Above these are glass jars with nuts,
caraway, coconut, and the spices.
This leaves the two shelves opposite
the doorway for the articles used at
each meal, such as butter, butter,
sugar, salts, etc. By having everything
closed in, I don't have to clean these
shelves more than once a month. I
stained the shelves dark oak, so merely
wash them with soap and water.
Gophers are out in full force and
look as if they have wintered well.
The crows too are cawing, and even
the ducks have come back. Look
like spring is here.

NEW SECTIONAL
MAP AVAILABLE

A new edition of the Vermilion
sheet of the Sectional Map of Canada,
revised from the 1918 sheet, has been
issued by the Topographical Survey,
Department of the Interior. Thereon
are shown individual farmsteads indi-
cating an area settled in all but three
of its 112 townships and thickly set-
tled in most of them. The three town-
ships excepted are in the extreme
northeast corner of the map, and are
embraced in the proposed Kehewin
Forest reserve.
Woods are shown by a green color
tint and contours are mapped at in-
tervals of fifty feet. Across the
northern part, the North Saskatchewan
river flows through a valley 150
feet to 300 feet deep and a mile wide.
The Vermilion river to the south, empty-
ing into the Saskatchewan, traverses
a tortuous course through a lesser
valley. Upon the area there are many
lakes, large and small, which are fed
or drained by numerous small water-
ways.
There are a number of towns and
villages upon the sheet, the three
most important being the towns of
Lloydminster, Vermilion and Vegre-
ville. These lie on the Winnipeg
North Battleford, Edmonton main line
of the Canadian National Railways
which crosses the sheet from east to
west south of Vermilion river. A
branch line to Calgary connects with
the main line at Vegreville at the
western edge of the sheet. The Cut-
knife to Edmonton branch line of the
Canadian Pacific Railway is constructed
for a considerable distance north-
west from Lloydminster on the ex-
treme edge of the sheet.
The main through highway from
Edmonton to Saskatoon follows close-
ly the main line of the Canadian Na-
tional Railways. Secondary roads and
slightly travelled trails are differen-
tiated by colour. Added to these fa-
cilities the tract is fairly well served
by rural mail routes and provincially
owned telephone lines. The positions
of elevators, schools, churches, post-
offices, and telegraph offices are shown.
The map is available to the public in
sheet form for the nominal fee of
twenty-five cents each. If desired in
folder form or linen backed the fee is
fifty cents. Application should be
made to the Surveyor General, Topo-
graphical Survey, Department of the
Interior, Ottawa.

TEN YEARS AGO

From Irma Times, April 12th, 1918
Mrs. Elmer Erickson returned from
Edmonton Hospital.
Irma Choral Society abandoned for
the season.
Mr. and Mrs. George Tripp returned
from trip to California.
Farmers were fighting prairie fires
and auto drivers were having bad
times trying to navigate bad roads.
Mr. R. E. Loss arrived with stock
and machinery to settle on the Wil-
kinson place.
Pie A. J. McDermid returned after
being wounded in France.
M. M. Ross moved from the Fabian
district to Strawberry Plains.
FIVE YEARS AGO.
From Irma Times, April 13th, 1923
Fabian oil well was creating lots of
excitement.
Mr. W. B. Peterson returned from
California.
Miss Mary Elliott returned from
trip to Michigan.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McCarty moved
to Irma district from Huntington,
Quebec.
Announcement of wedding of Mr.
James McCreedy and Miss G. S. U-
gard.
Account of death of Mr. John Wat-
son, Sr.
TO TRANSFER MORE BUFFALO
It is expected that some 1100 head
of buffalo, mostly year-olds, will be
shipped from the Wainwright park
early in June to the range in the far
northern part of the province where
during the past three years several
thousand head have been transferred.
The former monarchs of the plains
have increased so rapidly in their num-
bers at Wainwright that their num-
bers have far exceeded the carrying
capacity of the pasture in the park.
Reports from the vicinity of Fort
Smith on the northern boundary of
the province indicate that the animals
which have been moved are thriving
in their new home.

NEWS ITEMS
FROM KINSELLA

Miss Torgenson spent the Easter
holidays at her home in Edmonton.
Mr. Watson of Edmonton spent the
Easter holidays with his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Watson, he returned to Ed-
monton Monday evening.
Miss Minnie Ross of Viking is visit-
ing her aunt, Mrs. P. J. Waugeness.
Mrs. Hanksworth and son of Vegre-
ville spent Easter with her daughter
Mrs. Jack Neal. Little Ellen Neal
returned home with her grandmother
to spend a week.
Mr. and Mrs. D. Corbett spent Easter
with their daughter Evelyn at Vegre-
ville.
Mrs. Williams, Sr., has been on the
sick list for the past week but is now
better.
The "Ladies Aid" held a tea in the
Church on Saturday afternoon, April
7th, the proceeds were \$29.50.
Jack McKee spent a few days in
Edmonton this week.
Miss Larue spent the Easter holi-
days at her home at Soda Beach.
Miss Edith Corbett of Camrose Nor-
mal is spending the Easter holidays
at her home here.
Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jones and fam-
ily of Irma spent Easter with Mr. and
Mrs. Ross Eaton.
Mr. Honick lost one of his valu-
able foxes last week and he is offering
\$200.00 reward.

The Wastebasket

"There are only two classes of peo-
ple in this world," said one citizen to
another during a little game of cards,
"those who can play poker and those
who can't." "Yes," replied the other,
"but it takes a dickens of a lot of
money sometimes to find out which
class you belong to."
Accidents will happen and a girl
might just as well not used to hav-
ing her heart broken once in a while.
A quick way to end a love affair
is for the parties to get married, says
a local cynic.
"You know, dear, I'm not perfect,"
remarked a local husband to his wife
the other day. "Oh, yes, I know it,"
she replied, "but I didn't think you
did."
Too many people worship the dol-
lar. There are those who, when they
hear Gabriel blowing his horn, will
want to know what he gets a day for
doing that.
"Did you see that pretty Viking girl
smile at me?" remarked an Irma fel-
low to a friend at a dance here re-
cently. "Oh, that's nothing," his
chum replied, "the first time I saw
you I busted out laughing."
"And shall I return your letters?"
asked a Jarroo girl of her Kinse-
lla fellow when they had a row last week.
"Yes, there is some good material in
them that I can use again," he replied.

An anonymous writer has handed in
the following poem:
A little loving now and then,
Is rebuffed by the best of men;
But if the truth you only knew,
You'd find the women love it, too.
"Shame, good little boys don't
fight," said a local mother to her lit-
tle boy when he returned home look-
ing the worse for wear. "Yes, I know
that," he replied, "I thought he was
a good little boy, but after I hit him
once I found he wasn't."
"Er—have you kissed the bride?"
asked a guest of a gloomy fellow at
a recent wedding. "Not lately," he re-
plied.
A wife never hates to ask her hus-
band for money any more than he
hates to have her.
**BRUCE BOY BURNED WHILE
POURING OIL ON FIRE**
Carol Doran, a fifteen year old boy
of the Bruce district, was brought to
the local hospital on Tuesday suffer-
ing from severe burns as a result of
pouring kerosene on a fire. The fire
exploded and enveloped the lad in a
sheet of flame, and before it could be
extinguished he was severely burned
about the body. Just another warn-
ing not to pour oil in stoves.

HOCKEY CHAMPS
ENJOY CHEVROLET

Toronto, March 30th.—Besides win-
ning the junior hockey championship
of Canada, the members of the Regina
Monarchs hockey team have gained a
considerable knowledge of the auto-
mobile industry during their stay in
the East, which terminated yesterday.
The young speed kings have had
cause to thank the happy chance that
made Ross Robinson, president of their
hockey club, the Chevrolet dealer in
Regina. For immediately upon their
arrival in Toronto the Chevrolet Mo-
tor Company of Canada took them
under its wing. Not one of these
westerners had ever viewed Niagara
Falls; hearing of their desire to re-
mind this omission the Company whirled
them off on a sight-seeing expedi-
tion to the "Father of Waters". Ni-
agara, clad in winter's splendour,
thrilled the Prairie lads like winning
the world's championship must have
thrilled their conferees in senior hock-
ey.
"Something in the nature of a Re-
gina reunion was staged when the
team visited the General Motors plant
at Oshawa, for several men from the
Saskatchewan capital have climbed to
important positions there. The hockey
players learned the mysteries of trim-
ming and radiator-building, chassis
assembly and export packing during
a happy afternoon spent wandering
through the maze of factories.
The climax to their automotive sight-
seeing came, however, with a trip to
the General Motors proving ground at
Milford, near Detroit, as guests of
Chevrolet. Before motoring to this
great 1235-acre "laboratory" they had
breakfast in the famous restaurant
at the top of the giant General Motors
building. No boy could have failed to
find fascination in riding at hurricane
speed on the proving ground speedway
climbing the 24 per cent grade or
watching the experimental cars "do-
ing their stuff," and the Regina play-
ers voted the proving ground visit the
most interesting event of their trip
East. They left Detroit last night for

ALBERTA FAIR
DATES FOR 1928

Provost, August 8 and 9.
Chauvin, August 2.
Wainwright, August 7 and 8.
Irma, August 14 and 15.
Viking, August 16 and 17.
Vegreville, July 31, Aug. 1 and 2.
Vermilion, August 2, 3 and 4.
Lloydminster, Aug. 6, 7 and 8.
Lamont, August 7 and 8.
Innisfree, August 9 and 10.
Manville, August 11.
Kinross, August 15.
Sodgewick, July 31, and Aug. 1.
Strome-Killam, Aug. 3 and 4.
Ponoka, Aug. 8 and 9.
Leduc, August 8.
Goose Creek, August 8.
Didsbury, Aug. 9.

Want Ads

FARM FOR SALE—320 acres, 3
miles from town with 40 acres new
breakup. Price \$125.00 per acre. \$1320.
Cash and assume agreement to pay
\$187.25 per year including interest. —
See H. W. Love, Irma.
WANTED—Contract for cutting
brush or grubbing. Leave your ad-
dress at Box 11, Irma, Alta. 26-30P
FOR SALE—Geese Eggs for sale
or will trade for turkey eggs. H. W.
Love, Irma.
WANTED—A good, quiet saddle
pony, for a girl to ride to school.
Must be quiet and not afraid of cars.
J. F. Russell, N.E. 25-44-10-w.4th.
Irma, Alberta. 26-30P
WANTED—Breaking and Plowing.
Two Tractor Outfits open for Stubble
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tracts wanted. H. Osterout, Phone 36,
Irma, Alta. 26-32c
FOR SALE—Emerson Triple gang
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Also good seed potatoes.—M. D. As-
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Protect Our Forest Resources

Among the varied natural resources which go to make up Canada's enormous potential wealth, the forests occupy a most important place. As is now generally known, Canada has within recent years moved into first place among the nations of the world in the production of paper, having passed the United States which up to a few years ago was the world's largest producer. The great development of water power, now so marked a feature of Canada's industrial progress, has been largely brought about because of the growth of the pulp and paper industry. This water power development is, however, vitally affecting the whole life of the Dominion.

Apart from the pulp and paper industry, the forests have an influence, and play a direct part upon practically every department of Canada's national life whether it be the social, economic, financial, agricultural or industrial. It is of the utmost importance, therefore, that the forests of Canada be protected and conserved.

In full realization of this fact, the Dominion Government has by royal proclamation issued by His Excellency the Governor-General, set apart the week of April 22 to 28 as "Canadian Forest Week." Statements contained in this royal proclamation may serve to bring home to Canadians the effect and value of forests in ways to which they have given little thought. In this proclamation the following facts are emphasized:

1. Our national income depends on our forest industries more than on any other source except agriculture.
2. Our forest industries depend on the timber crops now standing ripe in the forest, and their very existence is jeopardized by any preventable wastage of these supplies. The future of the forest industries depends on the young growth and immature timber of today, and the prosperity of these industries will be in direct proportion to the care and protection afforded this growing timber.
3. Our water-powers depend upon the stability of stream flow throughout the year, the equilibrium of which is disturbed by denudation of the forest cover in the drainage basins, resulting in alternate periods of floods and low water.
4. Our irrigation works demand protection—forests are the fountain-head of irrigation.
5. Our agricultural lands depend on distant watersheds for the maintenance of subsoil moisture during the growing period, and are robbed of productivity by wasteful run-off which occurs when the forests are destroyed.
6. Our game and fur-bearing animals depend on the forest for their natural protection, and decrease in numbers or retreat to more remote regions as the forest cover disappears.

7. Our tourist traffic depends in a great measure on scenic and other attractions offered in such abundance by the forest and would be seriously affected if verdant woodlands be transformed into desolate wastes.

This enormously valuable asset to any country and Canada is among the wealthiest in forest resources among the nations of the world is threatened by two dangers both of which are caused and therefore preventable:—(1) Almost universal carelessness with fire in the forest, resulting in the destruction, not only of timber and young growth, but of the very soil which produces it, and (2) the use of wasteful and destructive cutting methods without any thought of ensuring a new crop.

It is in recognition of all these facts that during "Canadian Forest Week," April 22 to 28, which is also the beginning of another season of travel and recreation in the forest with attendant fire danger, the people of Canada are officially urged to resolve for themselves to recognize the situation as set out in this royal proclamation and to give careful heed to the information issued by the several forest authorities and agencies in Canada to the end that all may be encouraged to a sustained and patriotic effort in promoting the conservation of this valuable resource.

The Worm Has Turned

Union For Men's Rights Is Organized In Tibet

Masculinists are on the march in Tibet. There women's rights have been achieved. Every woman has at least three husbands, when she keeps or casts aside at will. A discarded husband is an outcast from society, and all except the favorite husband must work for the wife.

One of these working Tibetan husbands—Anouki by name—has seen what feminism leads to. Then above the ideology of his environment, and organized a union for men's rights. He and some five hundred desperate followers have even tramped to the holy city of Lhasa with a banner inscribed "Striking husbands of Tibet" and with placards reading "Down with the tyranny of women," "Men must have financial independence," "Abolish polyandry." The outcome is not yet known; at last reports, the rebellious husbands had not returned home.—The Outlook, New York.

Millions For Publicity

National Advertisers Spent \$225,000, 000 in 1927 in Newspaper Advertising

National advertisers spent \$225,000,000 for newspaper advertising in 1927, the bureau of advertising of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association has announced.

Estimates showed that 253 companies had expended \$122,500,000, of which the greatest sum, \$33,505,000, was spent by 57 automobile concerns. Eighty-two food advertisers spent \$24,045,000, and 14 tobacco companies spent \$18,260,000.

Externally Or Internally, It Is Good.—When applied externally by brisk rubbing, Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil opens the pores and penetrates the tissue, touching the seat of the trouble and immediately affording relief. Administered internally, it will still the irritation in the throat which induces coughing and will relieve affections of the bronchial tubes and respiratory organs. Try it and be convinced.

Sight Makes a Difference

Race Horses Always Run Faster If They See Well

The horses that run fastest are those that can see best. Tests made with special instruments and powerful lights in an attempt to increase the speed of race-horses have shown that one horse out of every ten suffers from defective sight.

To correct this, racers were fitted with oval-shaped spectacles, and it is said that the animals' time for a quarter of a mile was often bettered by as much as three seconds. Many circumstances affect a horse's speed, but numerous tests with and without glasses have proved that sight does make a difference.

It is part of the Turkish religion to care for all people of Turkey.

Mina's Liniment for Backache.

Praise For Canadian West

Success Assured For Those Who Are Willing To Work

Let it be thoroughly understood by all intending immigrants, that the Canadian prairie either makes or breaks the man who sets out to subdue it. Prizes there are to be won, without a doubt. Broad areas of fertile wheat land regularly yielding their vast stores of golden grain. Great herds of sleek cattle fattened about the emerald hills in summer, or safely sheltered inside snug buildings in the winter. Bright, warm, comfortable houses, furnace-heated, their basements piled with stacks of wood and coal. Lavish tables spread with wholesome food in such profusion as the Londoner never dreams of. Bicycles, radios, telephones, electro-power—everybody can have them. Prosperity and abundance are within reach of all who have enough tenacity to forge and use the magic key—work.—Wide World Magazine (London.)

A TIRED FEELING IN SPRINGTIME

Not Sick, But Not Up To The Mark—You Need The Help Of That Sterling Tonic, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—They Give New Vitality.

With the passing of winter many people feel weak, depressed and easily tired. The body lacks the vital force and energy pure blood alone can give. In a word, while not exactly sick, the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon them. A blood-building, nerve-strengthening tonic is needed to give renewed health and energy. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an all-around blood builder and tonic, and are especially useful in the spring. Every dose helps to make new, rich, red blood, and with this new blood returning strength, cheerfulness and good health quickly follow.

If you are pale, easily tired, or breathless at the least exertion, or your complexion is poor or you are troubled with pimples or eruptions, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are just what you need to put you right. If you have twinges of rheumatism, are subject to headaches and backaches if you are irritable and nervous, if your sleep does not refresh you, or your appetite is poor, you need the treatment Dr. Williams' Pink Pills alone can give. You need the new blood new strength and new energy this medicine always brings. Mr. A. Marcotte, North Hamque, writes: "I have found great benefit from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Before I began using them I was in a fairly poor condition, and at times felt scarcely able to work. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have changed all this since I began taking them. I am enjoying the best of health. Every man who feels run down and easily tired should give this great medicine a fair trial."

Try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for anemia, rheumatism, neuritis, indigestion or nervousness. Take them as a tonic if you are not in the best physical condition and cultivate a resistance that will keep you well and strong. You can get these pills through any medicine dealer, or by mail at 50c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

New Settlers Making Good

Alberta Board Reports Payments Made By Large Number

Sixty-five per cent. of the settlers on land under the Calgary District of the Land Settlement Branch have already met their payments thus far in the year which ends June 30, 1928, according to W. S. Woods, superintendent of the Board in Calgary. More than \$513,000 has been collected, out of \$765,000 due, and the board has security upon almost all assignments yet to be realized upon covering deferred payments on more than 200,000 bushels of wheat. This is regarded by officials of the board as a particularly good showing.

A French astronomer now figures that the sun will continue to supply us with heat and light for 150 million years.

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PAYS FINE TRIBUTE TO A GERMAN DIPLOMAT

Lord Grey Refers To Sterling Character Of Prince Lichnowsky

Lord Grey of Fallodon, opening a new institute and training centre for the blind at Leeds, paid a tribute to the late Prince Lichnowsky, who, he said, did a great work for peace. Lord Grey said:

Prince Lichnowsky, whom the lord mayor very truly described as a great friend of mine, was the German ambassador in this country at the time of the outbreak of war. I was very closely associated with him for two years. During the London conference of 1912 I saw how earnestly he worked for peace, and on that occasion happily with success. In 1914 he worked no less earnestly for peace, but was unable to avert the catastrophe of war.

I will not say anything for a moment today upon the question of war responsibility. There will always be a great propaganda on the subject which will do more to obscure than to reveal the truth. Historians will differ in their accounts of the causes and the conduct of the war, according to their personal feelings and national prejudices; but I hope that history will give an honored place to the men of high position who did all they could to avert war, and amongst them Prince Lichnowsky's name must always have an honorable place.

We in this country should remember him favorably, because at a time when in Germany the public men of this country and British policy were the subject of intense misrepresentation he had the courage and fairness in his own country to speak the truth about me. I trust that those efforts for peace, though they failed to avert the Great War, will not be without fruit in an example for the future generations, and I hope that men of the same character and determination to avert war will be found, at moments of political crises, in the places of responsibility. I said with deep regret news of his death, for he did a great work for peace—London Times.

The worms that infest children from their birth are of two kinds, those about the head, and those in the stomach and those that are found in the intestines. The latter are the most destructive, as they cling to the walls of the intestines and irritate them with their worm heads. Miller's Worm Powders dislodge both kinds of worms and restore the digestive system serve to repair the damage they have caused.

Canadian System Best

Earl Of Elgin Thinks General Hospital Gives Best Service

An address on Canada was given by the Earl of Elgin, who recently toured this country, in the Victoria Hall, Helensburgh. In the course of his address, which was illustrated with limelight views, he said the people in Scotland could very well adopt the Canadian system of hospitals. In place of the private nursing home and the general hospital as separate institutions, one large hospital provided treatment for private paying patients in separate wings of the same building to which non-paying patients were also admitted. The result was that the services of the best doctors and the most up-to-date equipment were available to all.

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Canadian War Ace Feted In Germany

Colonel Bishop, V.C., Made Member Of German Ace Association

Colonel Bishop, V.C., interviewed on his experiences in Germany where he was the guest of honor of the German aces, said that quite unexpectedly he found famous aviators coming up and saying they were proud to make his acquaintance. They knew him as the Canadian who shot down 72 German machines during the war but now that the war was over they said they were no longer enemies but comrades who had all been doing their duty. They invited Bishop to lunch at the Aero Club.

Udet, who shot down 62 allied planes, came to Berlin specially to meet Bishop.

On proposal of Udet, Bishop was made a member of the German Ace Association. Bishop humorously replied that he deserved the honor for he was accused of crashing more British planes than the German had ever done.

It was recalled that Richtofen was given full military honors when he was shot down and that other German aviators, when captured, were made members of British messes and treated as guests of honor.

Apples Will Be Marked

Canadian Fruit Sent To England Designated As Such

A Canadian apple on the British market will soon be known and designated as such, according to a report received by cable from J. Forestry Smith, Canadian fruit trade commissioner to Great Britain. In the past Canadian, Australian and other apples imported into Great Britain have simply been sold as apples. According to the new recommendation by the standing committee for agriculture and horticulture produce both retail marking and container marking on imported fruit will become law under the British Merchandise Marks Act.

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Takes Out Many Patents

New Jersey Boy One Of Youngest Inventors

Fred T. Roberts, Jr., is one of the youngest inventors in the United States. At the age of ten he made his first invention and now, twelve years old, he has taken out seven patents.

His latest device, soon to be placed on the market, is a tool for raising automobiles without putting the jack under the axle. He thought of the idea while changing a tire, which had settled in the mud, fed his mother.

A clip, placed over the spring, has an opening into which fits a bar 19 inches long. The jack may be placed anywhere under the bar.

Four Great War Figures

The premier of Britain when the great war broke out, the British commander-in-chief on the "main front," the German ambassador to Britain in August, 1914, and Marshal Diaz, Italian commander-in-chief in the war—all died within a few weeks.

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The longest flight ever undertaken by a woman has been completed at Port Darwin, Australia. Mrs. Keith Miller and Capt. W. N. Lancaster, flying a two-seater light plane, the Red Rose, arrived here from Croydon, England, a flight of 13,000 miles. The couple started from England on October 14, and carried their luggage in two suit-cases. En route they met with several mishaps, the worst of which was at Muntok, Bangka Island, Dutch East Indies. Mrs. Miller's nose was broken, and Capt. Lancaster's lip cut, and it was doubtful for a time whether they could continue their flight. The plane was repaired, however, and they covered the scheduled stages without further incident. The flyers intend to continue to Sydney, N.S.W.

Drill For Oil Near Cochrane

Denver capital will drill a test well in search of oil north-west of Calgary not far from Cochrane, Toronto interests will drill in the Sifford field in Southern Alberta. Both are closed corporations with no stock for sale.

"Ma, you were wrong about the wedding," bawled little Tommy, his mother having come in late.

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"You said Mr. Hubbs was going into it blindfolded, but he didn't."

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Electrification Of Rural Areas In Canada Is Being Carried Out On Increasing Scale

That electrification of rural areas in Canada will be carried out on a broad and increasing scale in the next few years is pretty well indicated by progress to date and plans being laid for the future. The provinces of Ontario have been leading through the activities of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission which was supplying 19,000 rural customers with electric service from nearly 2,300 miles of rural electric lines at the date of its last annual report. Since then more than 800 miles of lines have been built, and plans for this year contemplate the construction of an additional thousand miles, bringing the total to 4,000 miles of line especially built to supply farmers and others in rural areas with electric light and power.

Indications are that progress in rural electrification will be rapid in Western Canada. Electric power lines are spreading out from Winnipeg, Regina, and Calgary particularly. These will not only supply the smaller towns with electric light and power but will bring the boon of electricity to many farms along the way. Manitoba is taking the lead and at a conference in Winnipeg recently of power, agricultural and manufacturing interests, plans were formulated for establishing electrical test stations as a step toward promoting the electrification of rural areas. This plan has been followed by the National Electric Light Association in the United States and it is interesting to note the number of uses to which electricity is being put on the demonstration farms. The installations include such things as refrigeration, lighting, pumping water, milking, cooking, heating, ironing, washing, cleaning, sewing, ventilation, power for hoisting and cutting and for grinding and mixing feed and fertilizers. The list embraces all the uses of electricity in city homes and many special uses adapted to the farms.

It is predicted that a million farms in the United States will be using electricity inside of five years, a prediction supported by the fact that the number of "electrified" farms in 27 states doubled in three years, from 122,000 in 1925 to 272,000 in 1928. It is also interesting to note the progress being made in electrification of farms in New Zealand. Five years ago internal combustion engines made up 90 per cent of the farm power plants. Recently, of 28,510 power plants, 8,426 or 29 per cent were electric motors. The most widespread use of farm power in New Zealand is for milking equipment of which there were over 17,000 units in use last year. The electric motor supplies an ideal drive and can be moved around for other purposes.

Electrification of rural areas will certainly proceed rapidly in Canada and with abundance of water power and rates generally very much lower than in the United States, it will be surprising indeed, if, at the end of five years, there are not in Canada as many or more electrical farms in proportion to population as there are in the neighboring republic.

Mining Canadian Asbestos

The productive deposits of asbestos in the Eastern Townships of Quebec are worked in open pits; and the best grades of long fibre material, known as "crude" are hand-crushed to separate them from the rock; but to recover the crude short-fibre asbestos from the smaller veins the rock is crushed and the fibre separated mechanically by elaborate processes in large mills.

Novel Letter Box

A novel letter box has been constructed at Leipzig. The letter is placed in an opening and then closing of the value of the stamps required are placed in slots provided for them. Thereupon the envelope is automatically stamped and the letter falls into the box.



"If we were invisible we could get money for showing ourselves!"—Sondagen-Stra, Stockholm.

W. N. U. 1727

Thorough Milking

Milking the Cow To The Last Drop Is Good Dairy Practice

In an experiment performed at the O.A.C. gulch, to determine the value of milk, taken at different periods during the ten minutes that a cow was being relieved of her half-day production the following interesting figures were obtained:

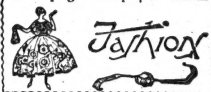
The first three pounds milked out tested less than one per cent. of butter fat; the next four pounds tested above 2.5 per cent.; the third portion, weighing over four pounds, tested better than 5.5 per cent.; while the last portion milked, weighing nearly six pounds, tested over 9 per cent. butter fat. A half tea cup of milk left in the udder each time of milking would mean a loss of nearly a dollar a month per cow less in butter fat. Furthermore, milk left in the udder will soon bring about the condition of dryness. Thorough milking out is essential to success in dairying. Get the last drop.

Coming To Canada

Former Royal Navy Men Being Brought Out Through Navy League

Former Royal Navy men with their families will be brought to Canada through the Navy League of Canada, according to the head of the delegation from Canada which recently conferred with the British body. The general scheme is to find jobs for discharged naval men and their families, the Navy League taking care of them from the point of their departure until they reach their destination and supervising them after being placed in employment.

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DEVELOPMENT OF THE WEST

Such a Lot Has Been Accomplished In a Short Space Of Time

At Saturday night's banquet in celebration of the opening of the new C.N.R. station, vivid reminders were given of how short a time it is since railway transportation began in the west and how great has been its development. General Superintendent Brown, who still brings the greatest vigor to the discharge of his duties, recalled how, when he commenced railroading out of Winnipeg, the trains had to stop to let the herds of buffalo go by. Mr. John A. McDougall, who came to Edmonton by oxcart and has ever since been an active figure in this community, pointed out that at that time the white people in all the country between Portage la Prairie and the Rockies were no more numerous than those assembled in one room, as the C.N.R.'s guests.

These and other reminiscences brought home as nothing else could do how rapid has been western progress. On such an occasion it is always well to look back over the way by which we have come. In doing so we are able to appreciate much better what the future must hold for this country. The optimism with regard to it that was expressed was not simply the product of the festive gathering. It is supported by facts and figures the significance of which cannot be disputed. Those cited by Vice-President Hangerford were especially convincing. Last year he informed his guests, Alberta produced more railway tonnage per head of population than any other province. For each person within our borders there were 12.7 tons, while in Ontario, which ranks second, and an average of 11.3 for the Dominion.

The growth in the traffic centre in Edmonton since the C.N.R. steel entered the city twenty-two years ago last November has been of astonishing proportions. Anyone who had then ventured to predict such development in that space of time would probably have met with a rejoinder similar to that which a Liverpool merchant gave to George Stephenson in 1825, when he told what his first locomotive was capable of doing. The merchant offered to eat stewed engine for breakfast when a speed of ten miles an hour was reached. But great as has been the achievement to date, we can have every confidence that it will be much outdistanced in early prospect. This is why the railway has undertaken the improvement of its Edmonton facilities and has lost little time following the agreement with the municipality in completing the spacious terminal that is now in use.—Edmonton Journal.

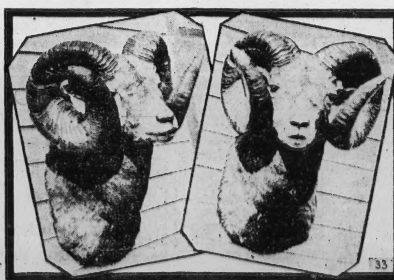
Seed Growers' Association

Saskatchewan Registered Seed Growers Report Sales Increasing

Highly favorable reports of the workings of the Saskatchewan Registered Seed Growers' Association were heard at the recent meeting of the Association held in Moose Jaw. The officials met to discuss the operations of the organization. The business, it was reported, is now at its height of shipping. Sales are far in excess of the corresponding period last year, with both internal and export registered seed traffic increasing.

Adversity sometimes brings a man's good points out—by the roots.

Record Sheep Heads Caught



Two fine examples of the elusive mountain sheep were recently captured by Jim Brewster, of Brewster Transportation Co., in the Banff Territory. The heads captured are records for the size, the one on the right being 19 inches with the other 18 1/2, this measurement applies from the highest point on the horn to that on the opposite side.

These sheep are often seen by the windows of Canadian Pacific trains which travel through that district

Where Canada Spends Most

U.S. Holds Leading Place In Canadian Trade

An indication of the prevailing encouraging condition of business in Canada is given in the Canadian trade report for the 12 months ended January 31, 1929. The total trade of the Dominion for this period was \$2,825,762,281, an increase of \$24,861,262 over the 12 months ended January 31, 1927. Of this total, exports amounted to \$1,237,943,559, and imports \$1,587,818,715, a balance in favor of exports of \$350,124,551.

The United States, as for a long time past, again holds the leading place in Canadian Trade. In the 12 months under review Canada bought from the United States goods to the value of \$706,336,720, or about \$71 per head of population of the Dominion. The United States was Canada's best customer as an individual country, with total purchases at \$174,033,326. Great Britain was in second place with \$107,359,546. Canadian imports from the United States were valued at \$463,576,605, which is more than the total value of imports from the whole of the British Empire.

Canada's principal foreign trade is done with 29 countries.

Says Photographing Royalty Easy Task

Are Patient and Most Courteous Says London Expert

"Photographing royalty is the easiest thing in the world. They display the most patience and are the most courteous of all people."

These statements were made by Richard Neville Speaight, managing director of a firm of London photographers, warrant holders to the Prince of Wales, and the king and queen of the Belgians, who arrived at Halifax on board the Cunarder, Aurania.

Mr. Speaight referred to the photograph of the Prince of Wales, taken at Halifax on his visit here in 1919, which is now universally known as the "Smiling Prince," as a really fine picture. On account of the story connected with it, which is that the Prince who was signing a visitor's book was told that he was signing the pledge, causing him to look up and smile, this photograph has created a joke wherever it has gone. Mr. Speaight added.

Settlers For Alberta

Effort To Bring Out Six Hundred New Families This Year

Over 600 new families arriving in Canada this year with limited capital can be looked after and settled advantageously in Alberta by the various provincial agents of the Canada Colonization Association, according to reports submitted by various representatives at the annual Alberta convention just concluded. The objective first set was 400 families, but a survey showed that at least 200 more settlements could be made. T. O. F. Herzer, manager of the association, reported that during the past three years 486 families had been settled in Alberta on 122,926 acres of land, of which 153 were settled last year.

Customer—"Have you a book on salesmanship?" Book Clerk—"Yeah—(yawn)—we've got one. Look around and maybe you'll see it. I haven't read it myself."

Customer—"I should say you haven't!"

Canada Now Leads The World As An Exporter Of Wheat And Of Wheat Products

Made First Pulp Wood Paper

Nova Scotia Man Discovered Process Ninety Years Ago

Recent announcement of the plans to establish a \$12,000,000 paper mill in Nova Scotia has recalled the fact that it was in Nova Scotia that the manufacture of paper from wood pulp was first invented, 90 years ago. Charles Fenerty, son of a pioneer settler, was the man who saw the possibilities of utilizing the wood pulp and in 1838 he presented samples of fine white paper at the office of the Acadian Recorder, Halifax. The idea was quickly caught up and perfected elsewhere and while the Nova Scotian genius received little compensation in his life, his native province now stands a chance of reaping some benefits from his invention.

Near Fenerty's home on the old Bedford road near Halifax there was a paper mill in which the product was manufactured from rags. Also, nearby, were three lumber mills. The idea came to young Fenerty that the waste in the lumber mills, might be utilized in paper making in place of rags. For years he worked on the idea, making whatever research and experiments his restricted facilities and means permitted and at last, in 1838, he was able to announce success. Fenerty took his idea abroad and it was met with universal success although of course greatly elaborated and exploited. At once it fell into the hands of those with the means and scientific knowledge to perfect it and, while mills sprung up in many places and Nova Scotia wood was exported in great quantities, no mills located in Nova Scotia.

Asks For Restricted Use Of Firearms

Ottawa Journal Suggests Way To Prevent Many Serious Accidents

Under the head "The Deadly Gun," The Ottawa Journal in an editorial urges the prohibition of the indiscriminate use of firearms. The Journal puts the matter thus: "Friend Fires Shot and Boy Falls Dead."

"Boy Seriously Hurt When Gun Goes Off." "Didn't Know It Was Loaded." "Gun Slips, Boy Ahead Killed." "Another Shooting Accident; Woman Dead."

The foregoing are, all, headlines taken from the daily press within a few days. What is the answer? The answer surely is that Parliament should take steps prohibiting the indiscriminate possession of firearms. At the present time a bill passed by the Senate prohibiting the possession of weapons, is before the House of Commons. Last year, after passing the Senate, it was fully considered by a committee of the Commons and reported to the House with some slight amendments. The bill, re-introduced this year (it is the work of Senator Belmont) should be passed, thinks The Journal. "It would go a long way, we think, to lessen the toll of fatalities, accidents and criminal, which grow worse with the years."

Don't Be a "Pickflaw"

People Who Point Out Unimportant Mistakes Are a Nuisance

A sagacious writer has coined the word "pickflaw." Everybody knows what he means without any explanation. Everybody has suffered from pickflaws. Everybody has had the experience of having his well-intended work discredited by some pickflaw who discovers a tiny error in it. The preacher's sermon may be eloquent, learned, and helpful, but some pickflaw points out that where he said A.D. 29 he should have said A.D. 28, and the preacher's sermon is spoiled for many hearers. "If he makes one mistake, he probably made others," they think. Of course mistakes ought to be pointed out when they are really important, when they effect the subject under discussion; but when they are only irrelevant flaws in an otherwise fine piece of work, he who points them out is a mischievous nuisance; he is a pickflaw. Don't be like him, for he is a poor chap to copy.

Distribution Of Our Water-Power

The full measure of the value of water-power to Canada cannot be gathered from statistics alone. Its outstanding value lies in the comparatively even distribution from coast to coast of ample power that can be economically applied to industrial and agricultural requirements, rather than in the impressive total amount of the power available in the whole Dominion.

Among the field crops of Canada wheat stands supreme. No other natural product has been able to compare with it as a vitalizing influence upon the economic life of the Dominion as a whole and nothing has attracted so much attention from the outside world.

The first real impetus to wheat growing in Western Canada was received about 1870 when the first "purifier" for separating bran and middlings from flour was introduced from the United States.

About 1876 "Wheat trading" as a definite business enterprise became firmly established. In that year the crop report issued by the Canadian Government, and which incidentally was the first Government report to be issued up to that time, placed the wheat acreage at 480,000 acres. In 1927 the acreage sown to wheat was 22,460,151 acres, with a yield of 22,470,700 bushels.

As an exporter of wheat and wheat products Canada now leads the world, having a greater surplus for export than any other country. It is interesting to note in this connection that Canada actually exports as much as British India, Australia and Argentina combined.

The rise to prominence of Canada, as a wheat-growing country, has been made possible in no small degree by the work of the plant-breeder. It is probably safe to say that in few countries, if any, has the work of the scientific breeder of plants contributed more directly and substantially to national prosperity than it has to Canada. He has given to Canada varieties of wheat which have added millions of dollars annually to the value of Canadian production and has turned what was once a distinctly hazardous occupation throughout vast areas of Western Canada into a relatively safe and profitable enterprise.

Will Use Photography

Photographers Will Aid In Locating South Pole Says Byrd

Photographers will be relied upon to a large extent to help him find the South Pole, objective of his Antarctic expedition, by aeroplane, says Commander Richard E. Byrd.

The explorer said laboratories of two large companies are at work on the photographic problem of the expedition. In addition to making a camera record of every mile of the flight by means of an automatic camera to be fastened to the bottom of the plane, Commander Byrd said he also expected to use photography to help him locate the pole.

A special automatic camera with which he will take shots as soon as he flies toward the pole is now being constructed. These pictures will be developed while the flight is under way.

Films on which pictures of the sun will be made will be marked with what has been termed "position lines," Commander Byrd said, and by calculating the direction in different sectors in which different spots appear he will have six sun shots by which he can determine his own position on or off his plotted course.

Destroyer Ready For Work

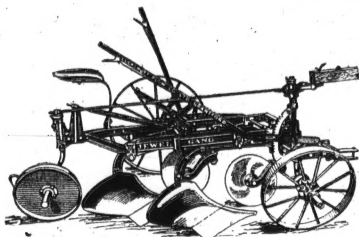
The two destroyers, the Vancouver and the Champlain, which the Dominion is receiving on loan from the British navy, have sailed for Canada. They will come via Gibraltar and the Cape Verde Islands to Trinidad, then they will go to Jamaica, where they will part company, the Vancouver proceeding to Esquimaut via the Panama Canal and the Champlain will come North to Halifax.

Teacher: "What is the interest on \$500 for one year at two per cent.?" Moses, pay attention.

Moses: "For two per cent. I'm not interested.—Answers."



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VIKING

A meeting of the Viking & Birch Lake Agricultural Society Directors was held in The Elks Hall on March 24th. President Geo. A. Loades was in the chair and called the meeting to order at 2:40 P.M. The minutes of the annual meeting were read and adopted.

The report of the resolutions of the Alberta Agriculture Fair Association were read and accepted, with motion that some of same be adopted for this year's fair.

The date of the Viking Fair was set for August 16th, it being decided to try out the one day fair for 1928.

The Sedgewick and Viking constituency exhibit was taken up, and a committee consisting of Messrs Frank Rozmahel, Leonard Loades, Reg. Gilpin and Alf Lefsrud, with full power to act were appointed. It is expected that this exhibit will be second to none at Edmonton this year.

April 7th meeting called to order by President Geo. A. Loades at 3:10 P.M. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

The question of Hog and Poultry pens were left in the hands of committee with power to act.

The Annual sports day was set for Monday, July 2nd and the following committee appointed with full powers. Messrs. N. C. Graham, H. G. Thunell, W. H. Anderson, and Geo. A. Loades.

The following committees were appointed for the exhibits on Fair day. Horses—Messrs. Wm. Kelly, Theaker, Taylor, L. Loades, A. Lefsrud, Hafsdahl, with power to add.

The following were added to the list of Directors: Messrs. Frank Rozmahel, Fred Cotter, John Theaker, Cattle—Messrs. Cotter, Maxwell, Frank Rozmahel, John Downie and Walter Bissell. Sheep and Swine, also Poultry—Messrs. Gares, Chas. Barber and Reg. Gilpin. Grain & Grasses & Vegetables—Howard Empey, Fred Hanson.

Fair Grounds Committee—Messrs. N. C. Graham, H. G. Thunell and Wm. H. Anderson.

All Booths on Grounds—Messrs. N. C. Graham, O. B. Benson.

Dance Committee for Sports Day & Fair nights—H. G. Thunell and Leonard Loades & Walter Bissell with power to add.

Subscription list—W. H. Anderson, Geo. A. Loades, H. A. Meredith, moved by Wm. Taylor, seconded by Leonard Loades that the same ladies as last year be appointed Directors. Carried.

Mr. B. W. Richardson, a dental student at the University of Alberta, who graduated this spring, was a visitor in town last Friday, with a view of locating here permanently. Mr. Richardson was well pleased with the prospects here and before leaving definitely decided to open up an office in Viking. Mr. Richardson, while just graduating this spring is no novice in his profession as while studying at the University he has had considerable opportunity to practice and comes well recommended by many who have had dental work done by him. He is also a good ball player and booster for all kinds of sport and should readily make a place for himself in this community. He expects to be here about the middle of May.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell entertained the Ladies Bridge Club and their husbands last Wednesday evening. Six tables were in play. The ladies prizes went to Mrs. P. Stock and Mrs. Goodwin, and the gentlemen's prizes were won by Mr. Meredith and Mr. Rollins. As this was the last evening of the winter series, the aggregate prizes were presented to the winners. The first prize, a cut glass dish, was won by Mrs. Anderson, the second a hand-painted plate, won by Mrs. H. Hilliker and a dainty ornament for consolation went to Mrs. Stock. After the game a sumptuous lunch was served by the hostess.

The marriage of Mr. A. Tegnaner, of this place, and Miss Marian Johnson, of Kelihier, Sask., was solemnized at St. John's Church, Saskatoon, on Saturday, April 7th, by the Rev. Dr. Arncliffe, pastor of the church, in the presence of a few friends and immediate relatives. The newlyweds returned to Viking on Monday evening and will make their home here where Mr. Tegnaner is manager of the Reliance Lumber company yard. A new residence is being erected for them just west of Recreation hall and is being rushed to completion.

A. B. Crouse and family are busy moving into their residence in town and expect to be settled by the end of the week. Steve Swift is attending the Edmonton spring show and has some fine looking Shorthorns entered for exhibition.

The ground was covered with six inches of snow Wednesday morning but is disappearing under the warm Alberta sunshine.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swift and family are enjoying a few days in Edmonton during the stock show.

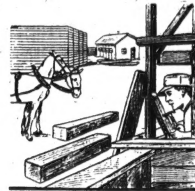
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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Official British attempts will be made this year on the four principal world air records, speed, height, duration, and long distance non-stop.

The Government will organize the Federal Fiscal Credits Board within the next two months, according to officials of the Department of Finance at Ottawa.

Lost on the windswept wastes of a fifty-mile portage between the Klondike and Yukon Rivers, southwest of Holy Cross, Alaska, two women were guided to safety by the lead dog of their team of huskies.

Astronomical circles are deeply interested by the discovery that the star, Nova Pictoris, first discovered in South Africa in 1925, has split in two. Developments are being closely studied by astronomers.

The collapse of the St. Francis dam in Los Angeles county, March 12, was due to defective foundations. It was asserted in the report of the governor's committee investigating the disaster.

Trans-Jordania, the Western part of Palestine, was recognized as an independent government in the new agreement between Trans-Jordan and Great Britain made public at Jerusalem.

Funeral services of the utmost simplicity were held for Mrs. Charlotte Pickford, mother of Mary Pickford. At the request of the motion picture actress, only intimate friends and relatives attended.

There was a moderate gain in employment at the beginning of March, according to the monthly statements furnished to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics by 6,222 of the larger employers of labor throughout Canada.

The battling flag and king's colors as well as the regimental colors of the 5th Kootenay Battalion, destroyed when St. Saviour's Church burned at Nelson, will be replaced by flags made at Vancouver. The replacement cost will be about \$100.

Average Wheat Production.

Average Production Over Five Year Period in Three Prairie Provinces.

According to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics the average production of wheat over the five years 1922-26 in Manitoba was 17.5 bushels to the acre, in Saskatchewan, 17.3 bushels to the acre, and in Alberta, 17.2 bushels to the acre. The average values per bushel in the same period were respectively \$1.00, 97c, and 94c, making the respective returns per acre from wheat for the three provinces, \$17.50, \$16.78, and \$16.16.

Tractors Replace Horses

Apparently the splendor of the British cavalry and artillery will soon be a thing of the past, and horses are gradually being replaced by tractors. Most of us who were at Vimy Ridge will remember the hundreds of dead horses lying by the roadside, on the way to the big offensive and will be glad to hear such news. For the purpose of taking supplies "up the line" under shell fire, the tractors are preferable to horses.

Most men who complain that the world does not understand them ought to be glad of it.

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Small Town Papers

BY FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE
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It was in the papers a little while ago that one of these modern novelists had bought a couple of country newspapers somewhere in West Virginia. He wanted something to make a living at, it said, which didn't sound exactly right to me.

I never read any of the gentleman's novels, but from the publicity he gets in the high literary magazines every time he brings out a new one, anyone who didn't know much about the novel business would think the royalties must roll in so fast that the author would never have to do any real work like running a country newspaper, for example. But the funny part was his idea that he could make a living out of a country weekly, or two of them. I knew something about country weeklies. I started my journalistic life by cleaning the spittoons and rushing the galleys for the editor and the printer, and inking the form on the Washington hand press with a big two-handed roller, while Charley Gleason pulled me over. When we had got the weekly run of ten quires off, two pages at a time, Wednesday and Fridays, we knew we'd been working.

Yes, sir; between the time when I met my first type case in the old Alhambra Court, and when I met Al Hen Jackson's Chinese handyman, and the time when I went to the city as a two-thirder to finish my trade, I learned all there was to know about country newspapers. I never worked on one of them after I got my union card, but there hasn't been a spell of bad weather in more than forty years that I haven't been reminded of the old shop, the stiff joint where I split my forefinger (and the editor on the brass-arm Gordon across every time a rain starts to pour up. That stiff finger changed, everything for me, in a way. It shunted me from the case to the proof box, which turned me out to be an entry to the editor's office. But that hasn't anything to do with country newspapers.

Where I got my big laugh out of that newspaper item about the novelist's finger is that the editor of the Franklin Simms, the editor of the old Courant, had to hustle for cash every Wednesday morning to get the patient inside out of the editors office. That took cash. Nobody ever heard of an editor having credit. He had to give his forefinger, his fingers, his hand when they felt like it or not at all. Often as they would pay in kind—garden truck, cordwood or eggs—and sometimes advertisers, did the same. Advertisers could always stand the editor off by threatening to pull off of the paper. There were only so much business to be had, and they would get it anyway, so they were always doing the editor a favor by advertising at all.

I remembered the time when old Otto Muncaster, who ran the lumber yard, settled a three month advertising bill with six barrels of line, and a few other incidents of that sort, and I felt sort of sorry for the poor fish who had let somebody unload a couple of country papers on him. Not one paper, mind you, that would have been kind enough to place in the papers said he had had two wished on him! If he just wanted experience, somebody to use for material for more novels, that might be a good way to get it, but to make a living—well, it just didn't do. With all I knew about country weeklies.

Then I ran into Bert Mills—literally ran into him in the crowd at forty-second and Fifth Avenue, by the library. I hadn't seen or heard anything of him for twenty years; not since he quit his job on the copy desk of the old Globe. I remembered hearing at the time that his father had died and he had gone back upstate to settle the family affairs, but that was the last anybody around New York had heard so far as I knew.

I wouldn't have known him if he hadn't spotted me first. It took only a glance to assure me that he had been successful. It wasn't only his clothes; they were what any business man might wear. It was his way of looking at you and speaking to you, the air of him accustomed to be dealing with all sorts of people. He was glad to see me and I was just as glad to see him.

Still in the newspaper game, old timer?" he asked, after we had pumped-handled a while. I told him my 'd been out of it for a good many years.

"I've sort of tired, too," said Bert. "Play a little golf, do a little fishing, go down to Florida for a couple of months in the winter, run around to conventions a good deal, just to see the fellows I know."

Bert must have inherited more than I'd thought, it seemed. Before I could ask him what he had been doing all these years, he was rattling on about his folks.

"Remember Sarah—Mrs. Mills?" he asked. "Gee, I wish we'd met a few minutes sooner. I wish I could see you. I just left her at one of the big stores. She comes down every little while to shop. I did remember Bert's wife—an amiable, dragged-out, tired-looking little woman, with a bawling kid hanging to each hand. I had had dinner with them once in a cheap little flat out Flatbush way. Even twenty years ago it was hard to elabish in New York for a man with a family on forty a week.

"You wouldn't know her now?" Bert went on. "I was afraid, first, she wasn't going to like it in a small town. She was born and raised in Brooklyn, you know, and New York people hate to change. But nobody in Middleboro now ever thinks of her as an outsider. They even tried to get to run for Assembly last year. She's the politician of the family—headed right now for the president of

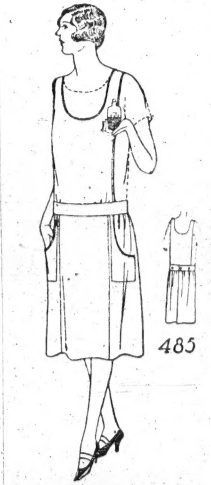
the State Federation of Women's Clubs."

He'd put both his boys through Cornell, he told me, and had a girl, too, who was a junior at Syracuse. One of his boys was married and he even had a pair of grandchildren. And while he talked I racked my memory to try to locate Middleboro. It must be an important town, but somehow I couldn't place it. "You haven't told me the most important thing of all, Bert," I said when he had finished about his family. "What I'd like to know is where did you get it? I had an idea you folks were farmers."

(To Be Continued.)

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It is pointed out that this is the greatest "showing the flag" flight yet accomplished, and the fact that it was unmarred by a single mishap proves that British research and British construction are unsurpassed.

All metal flying craft, it is now believed, are entirely suitable for aviation in the tropics—a question hitherto the subject of dispute between experts and thus satisfactorily settled.

British air power throughout the eastern world has been enormously enhanced as a result of the cruise of the Royal Air Force flying boats, as their successful flight has proved that Britain leads the world in this class of fighting craft.

The air cruisers, whose base is at Singapore, shortly intend to resume their trip toward Australia, from whence they will return via Singapore, thus completing an Empire flight of 23,000 miles—the greatest ever undertaken.

Another indication of British supremacy in the air is shown in the announcement that in the next Schneider Cup races, Britain's representatives expect to achieve a speed of 320 miles an hour. In this connection experts are agreed that at the present rate of speed development, Britain will soon be able to produce machines capable of travelling at a rate of 350 miles an hour—the only drawback to such a stupendous speed being that it is impossible to turn sharply in the air because an airman, owing to centrifugal force, is likely to become momentarily unconscious. This danger, however, is not to be feared when the flight is straight.

Livestock in Prairie Provinces

The value of livestock on farms in the Prairie Provinces, comprising horses, cattle, sheep and swine, in 1927, was \$22,949,000, as compared with \$20,359,000 in the previous year, all three provinces recording substantial increases. The value of poultry on farms in the three Prairie Provinces was \$15,915,000.

Should Spend At Home

Seventy dollars per head was spent by Canadians last year on United States goods. A considerable percentage of this amount could be spent on just as good goods produced at home. Some day there will be more practical patriotism by Canadian purchasers to bring prosperity to themselves and their own country.

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Canada's the Attraction

Americans Feeling the Lure Of the New Golden West

The increased migration of the future from the United States to Canada, which was predicted recently in these columns, is also foretold by the Providence Journal, a newspaper of high standing in the Eastern States. It was impressed by a recent speech by Hon. Vincent Massey in which he referred to the economic achievements of Canada to date and the great possibilities of the future. "One cannot read his speech," says the Providence Journal, "without feeling that a new agricultural and industrial empire is in the making." Young men used to be urged to "go west," it continues. Lately this has been altered by some to "go south." "But," says the Journal, "there may be a large number of Americans who, before the middle of this century is turned, feeling the lure of the region that Minister Massey has depicted, will change the admonition to read 'Go north, young man!'"—Free Press.

Color Of the Ocean

Blueness Depends Largely On Saltness Of the Water

Pure ocean water has a clear blue color because salt water does not absorb the blue rays of sunlight as it does the red rays. The proverbial blue of the Mediterranean is due to the fact that the sea is very shallow, carrying impurities into it and there is a constant stream of salt water pouring into it from the Atlantic.

The blueness of sea water depends largely upon its saltness. The Arctic and Atlantic Oceans, which are cold and not very salty, are vivid green in color. The Yellow Sea is golden because of the sediment brought to it by large streams arising in the deserts of Western China, and the dull red tint of the Red Sea arises from millions of microscopic plants called algae. The Gulf Stream is marked by a clear blue ribbon of warm water in the Atlantic.

Precious Stones Pave Road

Costly Blunder Revealed in Streets

What is declared to be the most costly blunder in the world has been revealed in the Russian town of Sverdlovsk. Nearly \$2,500,000 worth of precious stones have been used in road making there. The lot was bought for an equivalent of \$80. Huge blocks of jasper were buried in the ground, while beautiful green malachite, topaz and even jade were crushed to use in the paving. The mistake is said to be similar to that at Kimberley, South Africa, when the streets of the city were first paved. The blue clay used there contained diamonds, and when the mistake was discovered it was carefully scraped up and washed. More than \$5,000,000 worth of gems, some as big as hazel nuts, were recovered. The timely discovery made this blunder less costly than that in Russia.

So you and George are to be married? I thought it was only a flirtation.

"So did he."

In Yellowstone Park a hothouse heated by power from a nearby geyser furnishes fresh vegetables and flowers throughout the winter.

Looks Like Real Bargain

Few People Realize Marvels Of Postal System

In this day and age when almost every home contains a radio and a telephone conversation between New York and London has become a daily matter, it is small wonder that we seldom think of the marvels of the postal system which carries letters by train, steamship and air to every part of the world at a very low rate of postage. The other day I read an article describing the hazards of earlier postal systems, when letters were carried on horseback from one post to another, when the time of travel between Philadelphia and New York was a matter of days, not of hours. Not so very long ago it cost \$10.02 to have a letter carried from this country to Australia. When the first general post office was established in London, the rate of letter postage was eight cents for the first twenty-five cents for three hundred miles, and those rates prevailed in 1840, less than one hundred years ago.

Andrew Hamilton was the first postmaster-general of the American colonies in 1692, and he undertook the task of establishing an inter-colonial service. This post was purchased by the British crown in 1707, and from that time until a year prior to the Revolutionary War the postal service in America was controlled by the general post office in London. In 1711 the mail was carried every two weeks between Boston and New York, and in 1717 a weekly mail service was established between New York and Williamsburg, Va. Ten years later there was a service every two weeks between Philadelphia and Annapolis. Today there are no limits to the reaches of the postal system. A letter is carried and delivered from any point in the United States to any other point in United States territory, Canada and England for two cents, to any point in Europe for five cents, and with the greatest possible speed. When you think of all the hands through which this letter must pass, and all the travelling it must do before it reaches its destination, you will agree that the postal service gives you a very real bargain, indeed.

Of all the present monarchs, Alfonso XIII. of Spain has ruled the longest, his reign beginning in 1902.

Eels recently plugged the water pipes of a New England town.

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10 lb. Pearl Tapioca, Best Quality	95c
6 Cans Sliced Pineapple, No. 2 Size	\$1.00
5 lb. Pekoe Blend Extra Quality Tea	\$3.50
5 lb. Tuxedo Baking Powder	95c
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A. C. McLean is taking in the spring evening after spending the holidays live stock show in Edmonton this at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Russell of Coronado, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sonos.

Rogers Wright returned Thursday Maason.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Chase is spending a few days in Edmonton.

Miss Ida Berg, of Viking, is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Rogers.

Main Street

Mrs. C. Christenson spent Easter with her sons at Holden.

Mr. Jas. Hedley has been spending a few days in Edmonton.

Mrs. Frank Peterson is spending a few days with her daughter at Heath.

Mr. P. E. Jones spent Tuesday in Edmonton.

Miss Gams spent the week end in Edmonton.

Mrs. S. Johnson left Wednesday night to spend a few days in Edmonton.

Mrs. N. S. Matheson has been spending a few days with her brother at Silver Lane.

The Irma Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. H. W. Love, Thursday afternoon.

Miss Magrath, teacher in the Irma school has been spending the holidays at Calgary and Carstairs.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hill, on Saturday, April 7th, a daughter, both doing nicely.

Miss Lila Maguire spent Easter with her folks at Irma returning to Holden Monday night.

Mrs. M. D. Askin returned Friday after spending three months in California and British Columbia.

Mr. W. T. Barber left for Edmonton Monday night to take in the Live Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Skiles spent the holiday at Ryley visiting Mrs. Skiles folks.

Mrs. W. Renwick and her son Clarence have been taking in the sights at the city this week.

Mrs. J. P. Berg, of Holden has been spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. J. Fletcher of Irma.

Mrs. Chas. Tate, of Biggar, Saskatchewan, has been spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Tate of Irma.

Mrs. Pongó arrived last week from Budapest, Hungary, to join her husband who is running a blacksmith shop at Irma.

Mr. C. Clark, returned last Friday from Victoria, B. C. after spending a month with Mrs. Clark who is in a convalescent home in the coast city.

Mrs. Clark expects to be able to come to Irma in the spring.

Mr. S. J. Smith left Tuesday night for Seattle, where he expects to meet his family who are motoring from California to Irma. Mr. Smith has purchased the Miles farm near Sunny Brae, and expects to return to Irma as soon as he can get through with his car.

Easter Sunday, Ed. Huffman found that his poultry flock had been increased by 32 chicks. Ed. set his hens on St. Patrick's day which he thinks accounts for the 100 per cent. hatch and the vigor of the young chicks.

Winter paid the Irma district a return visit Tuesday night and left a blanket of snow from six to eight inches deep, since then the weather has been cold at night and thawing slightly during the day, allowing most of the moisture to soak into the ground. The farmers are all very optimistic and with the abundant supply of moisture are looking for another bumper crop in the coming season.

Here and There

(19) Quebec—Quebec is taking advantage of the Federal Government of last year known as the Canadian Farm Loan Act, which provides for loans to pioneers whereby the Federal Government provides 50% of the money, the province 50%, and the borrower himself the remaining 5%.

This years largest inflow of settlers destined for the west recently arrived on two of the liners of the Canadian Pacific fleet. There were 182 on the Montclare and 800 on the Melita, the majority being of British birth, thereby establishing a record for any individual ship docking at the Maritime Province ports this year.

A recent revision of the Customs regulations now enables tourists to bring their sporting equipment or cameras into Canada without leaving a deposit on account of their dutiable value with the Canadian Customs officers at the border. At the present time the change in the regulations will effect particularly the Pacific Coast, where golf and spring sports are in full swing.

Vancouver—Over 100 miles of trackage serving the ports of the Vancouver district will shortly have been laid by the Canadian Pacific Railway, according to a statement issued by the general superintendent of the district. The trackage is designed to take care of a steady and normal growth in trade through Vancouver and also to handle expansion in westward grain movement which this year has reached the record of 53,000,000 bushels.

John Walter, co-proprietor of the London Times with Major the Hon. J. J. Astor, arrived in Montreal lately where he addressed a gathering under the auspices of the National Council of Education. Mr. Walter is covering the Dominion over Canadian Pacific Railway lines and will make addresses in most of the larger cities. He is the fifth member of the family, being a direct descendant of the famous John Walter, to be guide of this newspaper since 1785.

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